ABSENTEES TO PROTEST

Will be Represented in Next Meeting of Council by Counsel.

ROUNDING UP THE TRAMPS

One of Them Equipped With a Revolver and an Electric Searchlight.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.) PETERSBURG, VA., June 24.-The newly elected councilmen who did not participate in the recent caucus will meet Monday night in the offices of Rogers, McCabe and Company to protest against the action of the present Council in nominating city officers, which is practically slecting them. They not only nominated all Council officers and the chairmen to hold till September 1st, but nominated the officers for their full

The protesting councilmen will be represented by counsel at the July meeting of the body.

CERTIFICATES OF ELECTION. CERTIFICATES OF ELECTION.

The clerk of the courts has prepared certificates of election for the city officers elected at the late municipal election. Before these certificates are delieved, and within thirty days after the election, each candidate is required to file with the clerk a statement of all money spent by himself or by his friends to secure his election.

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Three suspicious looking tramps begging in Blandford ran this morning as they saw an officer approach, but one of them was cornered and placed under arrest. John McBride, of Oswego, N. Y., is the name he gave. The man reached for his pistol when he was arrested, but Officer McGee was too quick for him, and he was forced to surrender.

REVOLVER AND SEARCHLIGHT.

A large .44 calibre revolver and an electric searchlight were found on his erson. The officers in this city are of the opinion that McBride is a member of

the opinion that McBride is a member of the gang that recently committed several robberies near Norfolk, and an effort will be made to capture the two men who escaped this morning.

Mr. T. W. Birchett and Miss Sarah Pul-llam were married at Gregory Memorial Church, in Prince George county, last night. The church was beautifully deco-

Central State Hospital, in this city, is to construct four brick or concrete buildings, to be constructed as early as practicable, in order to meet the demands of the increasing number of colored insane. There are 1.175 patients being cared for at this institution. The tuberculosis cases are living, in tents, and the colony plan, which is as very modern one, is proving very satisfactory. Plans and specifications are now being from for the new National Bank build-

to be erected at Sycamore and Tabb Streets, in this city.

There is a large attendance of colored teachers at the summer normal being held at the Virginia Normal and Industrial Institute, in this city.

THE ANNIVERSARY.

Fredericksburg Lodge of Elks Have Delightful Entertainment.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.) FREDERICKSBURG, VA., June 24. The anniversary celebration of Fredericksburg Lodge of Elks at the Opera House last night was a most enjoyable affair. In addition to the address by Lieutenant-Governor Joseph E. Willard. Lieutenant-Governor Joseph E. Willard, of Fairfax, there was music by Bowering's band, vocal music by Mrs. J. B. Proctor, Mrs. M. T. Church and Mrs. E. A. Solan. At the conclusion of the public exercises members of the order and invited guests repaired to the lodge rooms of the Elks, where refreshments were served and several hours pleasantly spent socially.

Mrs. Reed Childress, of Mine Run, Orange county, was stricken with paralysis and is in a critical condition.

Mr. W. T. Jones, of Stafford county, has a remarkable turkey gobbler. The gobbler has set three separate times this year, each time on twenty eggs, and has latched out nearly all of them. The

but the last flock are being cared for by the gobbler, who hovers them at night just as a hen turkey would do. Pea growers in the Rappahannock Val-ley, who were unable to ship their crops on account of lack of labor to gather them, are now trying to save the peas for seed. Should this experiment prove successful, the crop will still be profit-able.

able.
The ladies of the City Mission cleared \$75 at their lawn party, held on the grounds of the Fresbyterian Church.
Belle Grove, the handsome old colonial residence of Mr. John Taylor Thornton, the birthplace of President James Madison, in King George county, is being handsomely regained, repaired and generally renovated.

UNLUCKY TORPEDO BOATS

and Mr. W. C. Franklin.

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Checks Liquid Sulphur Anticipates and Checks the Progress of Many Ills.

The use of this sterling remedy serves to render the skin sort and healthful, and confers a clear and both and the skin sort and healthful, and confers a clear and both and the skin sort and healthful, and confers a clear and both and the skin sort and healthful, and confers a clear and both and the skin sterling remedy serves.

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A Scrambled eggs (not cooked too much) with 'FORCE" makes a pretty good breakfast.

I Try it one of these morn-

Three eggs, one-half cup "FORCE," one-half cup milk, pepper, salt. Beat the eggs until light, and to them add the milk, "FORCE." and seasonings. Turn into hot buttered omelet-pan and sit until the eggs are firm. Serve at once on a hot platter,

Survey fine

MOVE MADE BY THE V. P. I. BOARD

Request Board of Agriculture to Confer for Closer Co--

operation.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)
LYNCHBURG, VA., June 24.—The executive committee of the board of visitors

Dr. McBryde was authorized to secure the service of a professor to fill the va-cancy in the chair of metallurgy and industrial chemistry, made so by the re-cent resignation of Dr. Price. He also announced that Francis H. Abbot had been selected to fill the chair

Abbot had been selected to fill the chair of English during Dr. Hudnall's leave of absence for a year. Hugh S. Worthington, of Georgetown, was selected to fill the chair of French and German.

The committee will be in session for some hours to-morrow.

SNAKE ATE A GLASS EGG.

Lady With Unerring Aim Puts an End to Him With a Rifle.

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(Special to The Times-Dispatch).

ROADORY, VA., June 4.—airs, R. T.

Southall, of Quinton, had been missing eggs from her hennery for several days, and when she went to gather the eggs yesterday she was surprised to see colled up in the nest a large black snake. She went to the house, got her husband's rifle, and with unerring aim the snake was killed.

When measured it was found to be eight feet four incres long and of enormous size.

The snake was cut open, and there was found ten eggs, one of which was a large china egg, which was used as a nest egg.

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SPLENDID NEW THEATRE
(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)
LYNCHBURG, VA., June 21.—The contract for the Jectim of a new Academy
of Music was let to-day, and the building
is to be completed by December. It will
cost \$40,000, and will be fitted with the
largest stage in Virginia.

The scating capacity will be 1.300 The
building will be owned by a stock com-

TAYLOR MUST SERVE HIS TERM

The Supreme Court Refuses to Grant Him a Writ of Error.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.) WEST APPOMATTOX, VA., June 24 .-

Biddle Bursts a Boiler Tube and Terribly Scalds Two Men.

(By Associated Press.)

(By A telegram was received here to-day stating that the Suprem Count of Appeals at Wytheville had refused a writ of a writing factory in the tell plant in the the unit of Attention of Applor, In the left of the Pussenger conductors of the Norfolk and Western Railroad. The sent

SHROUDED IN MYSTERY

logg From Hotel Window Not Explainable.

MARINE STRIKE A FAILURE

Merchants' and Miners' Ships Make Their Sailings as if the Men Had Not Gone Out.

death of Commander Augustus G. Kellogg, United States navy, retired list, by a fall from a fourth-story window of the Hotel Monroe last night, shortly before s o'clock, is still shrouled in inystery as the man died at 10:40 o'clock in the as the man died at 10:40 o'clock in the Naval Hospital without regaliting consciousness. Commander Kellogs had undressed and was lying on a sofa under the window when Mrs. Kellogs left the room to speak to her daughter, Mrs. A. F. Prescott, who occupied a room near by, and during her temporary absence the tragedy occurred.

TERRIBLE FALL.

Commander Kellogs fell a distance of

Commander Keilogg fell a distance of about thirty-five feet to the brick pave-ment in front of the entrance to the hotel on Court Street, striking in his descent the rail of a balcony on the third floor, on which Mrs. Blocklinger, wife of Captain Blocklinger, United States navy, was standing as the body shot

of Captain Blocklinger. United States navy, was standing as the body shot by.

The noise made by the body as it struck the pavement attracted attention, and it was at once removed to the interior, where Surgeon A. R. Wentworth. United States navy, a guest of the hotel, and Dr. Gray G. Holladay made an examination and found Commander Kellogg suffering terribly from internal injuries and a dislocated hip.

It was decided to remove the injured man to the Naval Hospital, and Medical Director Persons, who was notified, sent an ambulance and the transfer was made, but death ensued in a short time. HIGH SCHOOL.

An assemblage of relatives and friends that crowded the Granby Theatre to the doors this morning witnessed the tenth annual commencement exercises of the Norfolk High School, which this year graduated eighteen students.

The marine firemen's strike was a failure from a local standpoint. All of the Merchants' and Miners' ships, from which the union firemen were withdrawn, have made all of their sailings without interruption. The Old Dominion and Clyde lines were not interfered with.

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H. C. Finkalstein, chancellor and interpreter of the Persian Legation at Washington, and his bride, nee Miss Gertrude Heilbrun, who were married in Washington yesterday, are here to-day on their bridal tour. They leave to-night via the Merchants' and Miners' Line for Boston and will then travel through New York State. The groom was born in Constantinople and has been knighted by the Shah of Persia. His bride is an American.

ACTIVITIES IN NELSON.

Rails Being Laid on Electric Line Up the Rockfish.

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(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)
SCHUYLER, VA., June 23.—Mrs.
Thomas R. Foster, of Richmond, is visiting at Captain J. W. Foster's at Schuyler.
Captain J. F. McGill, of the marines,
who has been on a visit of a week to his
father, Dr. S. McGill, has returned to
Washington.
Miss Rosa Moore, daughter of Mr. John
Moore, and Mr. Farish, of Charlottesville,
who eloped to North Carolina last week
and were married, are making their home
in Charlottesville.

VIRGINIA BRIEFS

(Special to The Times Dispatch.)
CHATHAM, VA., June 34.—The saw frame
of George A. Reynolds's saw-mill was burned
Thursday night, entailing a loss of 4650 without insurance. The fire originated from a
spark falling in a pile of slats. A large pile
of lumber belonging to H. Viccellio was damaged, but covered by insurance.
FREDERICKSBURG, VA.—Miss Mercer
Forbes Crutchfield has been appointed sponsor
and Miss Susie Mallory Bracley maid of
miles Susie Mallory Bracley maid of
recessional District, to the reunion of the
United Sons of the Canfederacy, to be held at
Lyunchburg September 7th. 8th and 9th. Both
young ladles have accepted the appointment.
LAWRENCEVILLE, VA.—The court confirmed the sale of the Talley timber made
here Saturday to My. Charles S. Barrow, Dr.
Rt. S. Powell and Messrs, Monson and Shell
for \$85,200. This is the most gigantic deal
which has been consummed been food ourse
Rallway.
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that has been consummated net to hand years. The purchase covers about 7,600 acres of land, which iles alongside of the Seaboard Raliway.

LYNCHBURG, VA.—James D. Glena, a weil to do doaf farmer of Prespect Depot, was stand to do doaf farmer of Prespect Depot, was stand sudred a broken arm only. He is fifty five years old.

NEWPORT NEWS. VA.—The grand jury to-day indicted the Chesspeake Fishing and Giun Club, Virginia Athletic Club, Arlington Hotel and the Hampton Roads Social Club for selling liquor without Heense. All of these places are located just outside of the city limits, and it is said that they have been doing a flourishing business on Sundays since the city limits, and it is said that they have been doing a flourishing business on Sundays since the city sould clubs were passed to the city limits, and it is said that they have been doing a flourishing business on Sundays since the city sould clubs were passed to the city sould clubs were passed to the limits, and the said club, and to case will be tried next week.

NORFOLK, VA.—F. M. Kelly, arrested to-day upon the charge of embezzling a diamond ring valued at \$\$2.50, bought from J. B. Bennett on the instalment plan, declared that he took the ring off his finger while washing his hands in a Richmond hotel, and forgetting it at the time, never saw it again.

SCHUYLER, VA.—The thirty-six foot dam of the Virginia Songstone Coupany, across Rockfish River at the building, one of which is a warehouse 100,800 feet.

SHEPPARDS. VA.—Mr. and Mre. Thomas Bondurant Hall have issued invitations to the marriage of their daughter, Miss Namich Newman, to Mr. Charles Stringfellow Hooper at 5 o'clock on Wednesday avaining, July 5th, at Maysville Presbyterian Church, Blackingham, Va. Miss Hall is a beautiful and very 41-tractive young lady and has many friends mither county.

OLD VIRGINIA PICNIC.

Happy Gathering at Old Provi-

dence Church Yard.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

BON AIR. VA., June 24.—The Sunday school of oid Providence Church held its regular Children's Day exercises Wednesdoy, followed by a public dinner and picnic in the churchyard. Besides the people of the immediate community, others were also present from Bon Air, Richmond and other places. The singing and recitations by the school were well rendered, and greatly-enjoyed by the large audience. Then such a dinner was spread under the wide-spreading oaks—oid Virginia ham, chicken, baked, fried; Brunswick stew, pasirics, pes, cakes of all styles, lee cream and lemonade by the barrel! With good seasons and sbundant crops, giving promise of rich harvest, the Chesterfield farmers looked happy and contented, and went in for a good plenic time, and he had it, with the oid people grouped about in social intercourse and the spacious old churchyard swarming with children and the younger generation.

LIGHTNING'S WORK.

Tears House to Pieces, But Does Not Hurt the Inmates.

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(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

BOYDTON, VA., June 21.—Mr. H. L. Turpin, who resides some six miles east of this place, gives a thrilling account of the special property of

of a man's thumb.

Mr. Turpin says further that he will put his house of his against any other as being he most thoroughly torn-up one on record. Strange as it may seem, that with the amily scattered here and there on the remises, not one of them was seriously unit. Mr. Turpin says the only thing killed on his lot was a large rat, which was in the litchen.

AT THE FAIR.

Many Virginians Visit St. Louis and the Exposition.

and the Exposition.

Times-Dispatch Bureau, Virginia Bullding, World's Fair Grounds.

ST. LOUIS, MO., June 24.—The register at The Times-Dispatch bureau shows the following Virginian visitors to-day: Daniel T. Merritt, Norfolk; F. R. Berryman, Smithiled; Mrs. E. Scott and Miss Ella Leech. Lexington: Miss Constance L. Coles; Hopeside; P. H. Wells and Katle V. Wells. Petersburg; Mary V. Moore, Marla M. Moore and Annie L. Moore, Marla M. Williams, Seldans; E. N. S. Lee, Newcasthe: Hegion; Charles Williams and M. Williams, Seldans; E. N. S. Lee, Newcasthe: Mrs. Hoffman Harlow, Montoali Gibert Greentree, Harry Levy, Ralph Levy and J. I. Kaufmann, Richmond; Mr., and Miss. R. E. Hatton, Danville; Mrs. Martinsville; Miss Louise Dyer, Roanoke; A. B. Day, Richmond; Mr. and Mrs. J. E. West, Suffolk: Misses Grace and Elize West, Waverly; Mr. and Miss, J. A. Willett, Allene Willett and Emma Rowbottom, Newport Nows; B. B. Perrow, Lynchburg; J. W. Dugan, Alexandria; T. H. Thompson, Fetersburg; Mrs. Frank Carter, Fredericksburg; Ellle J. Blair, Danville; J. T. Maxey, Blackstone; Lena Barksdale, Charlottesville; H. L. Spencer and Mary D. Spencer, Fincastle; Molle J. Livesay, Mamie Livesay, Graham; L. A. Sebastian, Volney; P. H. Wells and wife Letersburg; T. J. Lair, Milbourn; N. E. Scott, Lewiston; Annie E. Keiningham, Massaspona; Leconer L. Kean and Neille

DR. ALDERMAN IS LIKELY TO ACCEPT

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

CHARLOTTESVILLE, VA., June 24. Although he has not yet announced whether or not he will accept the presidency of the University of Virginia, Dr. Edwin A. Alderman has not, it is generally believed here, come across any obstacle that would cause him to give a negative answer. For three or more hours to-day he was in conference with the board of visitors, and it is thought the result was very satisfactory. Upon adjournment a member of the board stated that it was Dr. Alderman's intention to take further time for consideration, but that the rector will receive his answer in the next few days.

Dr. Alderman has asked the present chairman, Dr. James Morris Page, for a long conference on to-morrow. This is regarded as significant, as he would hardly care to become acquainted with the details of the work now done by the chairman had he any idea of declining the proffered presidency.

Dr. Alderman has made a most favorable impression to-day upon all with whom he came in contact. He reached the University by 10 o'clock, and, in com-Although he has not yet announced

IN THE GOOD OLD FASHIONED DAYS

Powdered Wigs Formed an Important Adjunct to a Gentleman's Apparel. It is safe to say that the majority of bald men of to-day would gladly revive the old, dignified custom if they could. But they can do the next best thing to it; that is, hold on to what hair they have.

All Eclipsing Bargain Saturday

Of An Eclipsing Bargain Event.

Previous announcements have explained at length the whys and wherefores of these special sales, nor would it be necessary to expatiate upon them again, but for the reason of imitation by others, of not alone the measure itself, but the gross substitution of qualities and the tapping of wires, so to speak, of the straightforward, reliable supply centre to hide the darkness of deception lurking behind their offerings and values.

Prices That Plead and Illustrate Economy in Themselves.

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AND \$12.50 SUITS—Strictly pure wool Navy Blue Serges, absolutely fadeless color, and elegant fancy Worsteds. Tweeds and Cheviots in

Unremitting Clearance in the Boys' Department.

A Host of Bargain Attractions for To-Day.

including Navy Blue Serge Suits in all shapes. Double Breasted Suits, Sailor Norfolk, Plain Norfolk. Eton Collar Blouse Suits. Buster Brown Suits—positively \$4 and \$4.50 values—choice.......

The fault is all your own if you miss this wonderful Bargain opportunity awaiting you in the Boys' Department.

BURK & CO., East Main Street.

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pany with Messrs. R. Walton Moore and Daniel Harmon, of the board of visitors, went at once to the board room and was closeted there until 1:30.

The other members of the board present at the meeting were the rector, Charles P. Jones, of Highland; Judge Alexander W. Wallace, of Frederloksburg; Eppa Hunton, Jr., of Richmond; B. F. Buchanan, of Marion, and Henry H. Downing, of Front Royal

The absentees were Congressman Carter Glass, of Lynchburg, and William H. White, of Norfolk.

On leaving the board room Dr. Alderman met Mr. McIhaney, secretary of the Young Men's Christian Association, to whom he safted that he was well acquainted with Mrs. William E. Dodge, of New York, who recently gave the money for the association building for the University, work upon which has already begun.

Mrs. Alderman, fatigued from her long already begun.

Mrs. Alderman, fatigued from her long trip from New Orleans, remained at the Jefferson Park Hotel throughout the

LADY NEVER SLEPT INSIDE A HOUSE

Miss Evelyn M. Hart Dies of

The funeral of Mrs. William A. Cole will take place at II o'clock this morning from Westwood, in Hanover county. The funeral of Ruth, infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. P. S. Neiss, took place at 5 o'clock yesterday afternoon from the residence. No. 5041-2 West Marshall Street.

W. H. Healv.



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NEEDLES AND OIL



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Harding Street. Mrs. Kelley was seventy-six years of age. She leaves three sons and three daughters. Miss Callie Harris.

STAUNTON, VA., Junc 21.-Miss Calife Harris, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Harris, of this city, died this evening with consumption, aged nineteen years. The funeral will take place Sunday afternoon. RESOLUTIONS OF RESPECT.

Miss Evelyn M. Hart Dies of
Hemorrhage at Pasadena,
California.

(Special to The ...mes-Dispatch.)
WINCHESTER, VA., June 24.—Miss
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(Special to The ..mes-Dispatch.)
WINCHESTER, VA., June 24.—Miss a meeting of the Richmond Fire Insurance Exchange was cheld on the 22d instance and the late Major Camillus S. Hart, died from a hemorrhage yesterday at Pasaderna, Cal., where she had gone for her health. Miss Bert was one of the first advocates of the state of the mental than the summer of the summer

CHEAP RATES SOUTH

SEABOARD AIR LINE. \$5.85—Richmond to Raleigh, N. C. Account of Summer School for Teachers. Tickets on sale July 4, 5, 11, 12, 18, 19, 25, and August 1st, Ilmited to August 6, 1904.

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\$20.95—Richmond to Atlanta, Ga. Account American Association of Nurserymen. Tickets on sale June 20, 21, 22, limited to June 28th, by payment of 50c., extension can be lad till July 15th. Rates to this meeting are on the certificate plan.

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\$17.75—Richmond to Nashville, Tenn. Account Fiske University Summer School. Tickets on sale June 23, 25, 27, limited to fifteen days from date of sale.

\$18.20—Richmond to Monteagle, Tenn. Account Monteagle Bible School.

Tickets on sale June 30th, July 1, 2, 19, 20, 21, 22, limited to August 31, 1904.

\$15.00—Richmond to Columbia S. C.

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account of meeting Interdenominational Religious and Educational Association. Tlokets on
sale August 23d, 24th, 25th, limited to August 31st. Rates to
this meeting are on the certificate plan.

ficate plan. \$14.70—Richmond to Athens, Ga. Account Athens Summer School. Tickets on sale July 2, 3, 4, 11, 18, limit-ed to fifteen days from date of sale.

\$31,95—Richmond to Eureka Springs, Ark. Account Southwestern Summer School. Tickets on sale July 6, 7, 8, 9, limited to August 7, 1904.

C. & O. SUNDAY OUTINGS
TO THE
SEASHORE EVERY SUNDAY.
\$1.00 round trip to Norfolk and Ocean
View; \$1.25 to Virginia Beach and Cape
Henry. Two fast trains, with parlor
cars, leave C. & O. (Main Street Station)
\$150 and 9 A. M., running through to the
ocean in two hours. Seats reserved in
parlor cars any time during the week.

SEABOARD AIR LINE SUNDAY EXCURSIONS TO PETERSBURG. 40 Cents for Round Trip.

Tickets good on all regular Sunday trains, beginning May 15, 1904

s, 9. limited to August 7, 1904.

Fourth of July—For this day, the Senbard will sell round-trip tickets to all points south of the Ohio and Potomac, and east of the Mississippi Rivers, at one and one-third fares. Tickets on sale July 2, 3, 4, limited to July 8th.

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